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Legal Notices.

In the Supreme Court of Vancouver
Island.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT
of John Solomon, bearing date the Seventh day of
August, A.D. 1868, made and executed by and between
the said Nathan Solomon, a Victoria, British Columbia,
the said Nathan, and Gustave Sutro, a citizen of the
United States, and of the street, Victoria,
the rest of the Creditors of the said Nathan Solomon of the
other party, a stool or instrument whereby the
said Nathan Solomon conveyed all his estate and effects
and Nathan Solomon to be applied and
administered for the benefit of the creditors of the
said Nathan, and Nathan, in like manner, the said Nathan
Solomon had made, on the seventh day of August,
A.D. 1868, and at the hour of 3:45 a.m. on said day
brought into my office for registration, and was
registered pursuant to the provisions of the Bankruptcy
Act, 1862.

Dated this Seventh day of August, A. D., 1868,
RICHARD WOODS,
Acting Registrar.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP, HITHERTO
existing between Joseph L. Smith and James G.
Smith, in the business at Clinton, known as the Firm of
J. L. Smith & Co., is dissolved by mutual consent. The
debt or against the partnership will be paid and re-
cided by Joseph L. Smith.

(Signed) JOSEPH L. SMITH.

WITNESS—Fred. Wm. Foster.

Clinton, B. C., Aug. 10, 1868.

The business of the Clinton Hotel will be carried on as
formerly, by JOSEPH L. SMITH.

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Road Tax, 1868—Metchosin District.

THE STATUTE LABOUR IN THE
above District will be called out immediately at the
closing of the meeting. Tenders are required and will be
received till Sept., from settlers in the District, to
repair the roads.

Terms and Particulars with Specification of Works,
may be seen, together with the Assessment Roll, 1868, at
the house of H. Holgate, Metchosin District, or at the
Office of the undersigned, Government street.

By order,

EDWARD MALLANDINE,
Clerk and Assessor.

For the Boards of Road Commissioners.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 26th, 1868.

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NOTICE

THE PARTNERSHIP, HITHERTO
existing between W. Emery and Andrew J.
Smith, under the firm of Emery & Smith, Con-
tinued, dissolved on Saturday, the 13th instant. All
persons having claims on said firm will please present
same to W. Emery for payment, who alone is author-
ized to receive all outstanding accounts.

WILLIAM EMERY.

A. DREW J. SMITH.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 22nd, 1868.

The business will be carried on as usual in all its
branches by the undersigned.

W. EMERY.

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DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE
existing between C. Doder and P. MacLean,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers, at Camerontown, William
Creek, B. C., has been dissolved by mutual consent. The
business will in future be carried on by C. Doder, who
has removed from Camerontown to Barkerville.

C. DODER.

Barkerville, Aug. 11th, 1868.

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NOTICE

ALL ACCOUNTS DUE TO THE
Estate of R. Evans not paid on or before the 1st of
September next, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitors
of the Trustees for collection.

G. R. FINDLAY.

THOS. L. STAHL-SCHMIDT.

Trustees.

Victoria, V. I., Aug. 11, 1868.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE ANY
Claims against the Estate of R. Nightingale will
end in their account to the undersigned before the 1st of
September next.

S. D. LEVY.

Assignee.

Nanaimo, July 22, 1868.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

A BLE AND ORDINARY SEAMEN
for the ship Princess of Wales, bound to China.
Can accommodate from 30 to 40 Chinese passengers.

Apply to

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Shipping Agent.

Near the Post Office.

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Steers, &c.

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on the 10th or 20th of SEPTEMBER.

JOSEPH J. D. PEMBERTON,

Aug. 31 1868.

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Medical.

CURES AND COMFORT FOR
THE BED-RIDDEN.

—BY—

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Gout and Rheumatism.

There probably never was a movement, having for its object the reform of any existing abuses set on foot, which did not suggest and even assist to call into existence opposition, counter movements, and different plans for reform or improvement; this may in a great measure account for that natural superiority which popular, as opposed to despotic forms of government, are almost universally allowed to possess. It seems to be denied to mortals to live under any form of Government which shall attain to perfection; nevertheless men do not weary of aiming at perfection, nor do they despair of attaining such superiority as shall satisfy the expectations of perfection as they exist within the minds of mortals. It is fortunate that this is the case, for in political science if all were contented to follow in one groove, it would be nearly impossible that countries should advance to any system of government approaching even to excellence, for that which in the opinion of those who superintend the working of the machine, most nearly approaches to perfection, viewed from a different point by those who provide the means, and for whose supposed benefit the whole system of government is adjusted, sinks down far below the level of mediocrity. Now, although we may admit that there is no hope of the Convention achieving perfection, by means of such reforms and alterations as they may effect in our system of government, there is no reason that they should not aim at excellence, indeed they would not rightly discharge their duty to the people were they to aim at anything short of it. It cannot be expected that the whole population of this Colony will be undivided in their opinion as to the means most calculated to lead us to the highest excellence that can be achieved by any system of government that may be adopted, but it is scarcely possible that opinion can be divided if we except that unfortunate division of opinion which exists between the members of the government and the people upon the necessity of a radical and immediate change in the organization of public affairs in the Colony. Let it be granted then that there is sufficient unanimity upon this one starting point, and those who favor Confederation will find their hands strengthened materially by the promulgation of all the different theories, that can be devised by those who give the subject of reform any consideration whatever, there is always danger of too little mature consideration being bestowed upon subjects which are passed with so much unanimity, as barely to evoke discussion. With the great question of Confederation this might be the case, if nothing were heard against it; the very men who oppose Confederation, provided that they are in earnest in desiring the Colony to progress, will do good service in guarding against any rights or privileges being sacrificed by those strong partisans who may happen to be in favor of Confederation at any price. No doubt many shades of opinion will be represented at the Convention, and there is no fear of there being any lack of discussion upon the main questions of the day. The more free the discussion the more hope will there be of excellence in the decisions arrived at; so long as there is unanimity of action after ample ventilation of all subjects brought before the Convention, there can be no fear that the true interests of the Colony will be neglected. The people of the Colony may safely rely upon those who are part and parcel of them, they are much more likely to meet with straightforward dealing in public life from those who are striving for something beyond the retention of the salary of an office, than from those whose very position and income depends in a great measure upon the will or caprice of a single individual, and who apparently have but little in the service to which they belong beyond the desire to make a good living out of it upon as easy terms as possible. There is one class, however, which the people of this Colony will have to beware of—a class which have not yet come to the surface, but which will undoubtedly show themselves before the end of the present system arrives. We would especially caution the members of the Yale Convention against this class, they will offer themselves to the cause

of Confederation as friends, when they feel that it inevitable, as in all stages of history they have done to other good and noble causes, and they are fully capable of mischief even at the last. We allude of course to Government rats; we have spoken of wire-pulling on the part of Government officials, and have not some of us heard members of the Government expressing themselves as not unfavorable to entertaining the question of Confederation when the proper time arrives. Let the Convention beware of such tardy friends, and let them take active and certain means to counteract any attempts on the part of such men to influence the Colonial office when the change in our constitution is in progress, they must be steadily watched, and the Convention must not forget this, or it may chance that so much of the old leaven may find its way into the new system as shall make it as unpalatable as that from which we now seek to rid ourselves.

New Advertisements.

WANTED.

A STRONG ACTIVE YOUTH ABOUT 17 years of age as Apprentice to Plumbing and Gasfittering. Apply to J. SPENCER, Yates Street.

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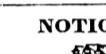
SPROAT & CO. Agents Royal Insurance Co., Store street, Victoria, 10th Sept., 1868.

CONSIGNEES NOTICE.



BARK PRINCESS ROYAL, JAMES ANDERSON, Master, from London.

This vessel is discharging cargo at the Hudson's Bay Company's Wharf at Esquimalt. Consignees are requested to call at the office of the Hudson's Bay Company, Wharf street, Victoria, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. sell 1m



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LANGLEY & CO.

Have received a full Assortment of

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Trusses of the most Approved Styles.

Curling's Cod Liver Oil.

Letchford's Pomades, Oils and Soaps.

Also, a Large Assortment of

Pure Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, &c.

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Valuable Farm to Lease.

TO LEASE, FOR A TERM OF 3, 5 or 7 years, a valuable Farm of 100 acres, in Vancouver Island, comprising 310 acres of very fertile land, and 690 acres of pasture, and the farm is well watered and in good condition, upwards of 200 tons of produce have been raised this season.

Nearly all the Farm is Prairie Land, well watered, and offers great advantages to any person wishing to farm extensively.

The House and Farm Buildings are substantially built and in good repair.

There is a Dairy of 9 Cows; 2 Yokes of Working Oxen, 20 head of Store Cattle, and 100 Hogs, &c., all of which can be taken at a valuation it required.

The steamer Sir James Douglas makes monthly trips to Comox, and the ship Alarm fortnightly, and offers great facilities for shipping produce.

For further particulars apply to MR BAILY, the owner.

Comox, V. I., Aug. 28th, 1868.

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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO existing between the undersigned, carrying on business in this city as Butchers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the Firm will be paid by Edward Dickenson, who will continue the business, and is alone authorized to collect all outstanding accounts.

Signed EDWARD DICKINSON, WILLIAM R. MARSHALL,

Winnings—Chas. R. Bunting.

Victoria, V. I., B. C., Sept. 8, 1868.

Road Tax, 1868—District of Lake.

THE STATUTE LABOUR IN THE above District will very shortly be called out. Tenders are required from contractors and others, and will be received till the 14th inst., for the execution of the portion of the main road between the "Royal Oak" and the boundary of Victoria District.

Terms and particularities, with specification of works, together with copy of Assessment Roll for 1868, can be seen at the "Royal Oak" Tavern, Junction of the East and West Roads, Lake District, or at the Office of the undersigned.

By order, EDWD. MALLANDAINE, Clerk and Assessor for the Boards of Road Commission. Victoria, B. C., Sept. 8th, 1868.

NOTICE

THE OWNER OF A SPECKLED, Red neck, Brandling, the Hip B. p. and with a large portion of the Back Barley hereby notified to call and pay charges for damages done on my property, or she will be sold at auction within one week from date.

W. MILLINGTON, Esquimalt, see 1w

Road Tax, 1868—Esquimalt District.

THE STATUTE LABOUR IN THE above District will be called out immediately at the close of harvesting works. Tenders are required and will be received till the 14th September, from Settlers in the District, or from contractors and others, and the portion of the main road between the "Royal Oak" and the boundary of Victoria District.

Terms and particularities, with specification of works, can be seen, together with Assessment Roll for 1868, at the House of Mr James Stewart, beyond the 4-mile house, Craigflower Road, at the Office of the undersigned, Government street.

By order, EDWD. MALLANDAINE, Clerk and Assessor for the Boards of Road Commission. Victoria, B. C., Sept. 4th, 1868.

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BUFFALO TONGUES AND HUMPS.

NICELY CURED BUFFALO TONGUES and HUMPS, lately received from the Territory of Montana, United States.

For Sale at the

HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S STORE.

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Hy. NATHAN, Jr. & Co.,

Wharf street, Victoria.

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New Advertisements.

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Shawls, French Merinos, Alpacas, Coburgs, Flannels

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Scarlet Cloth, Curtain Repps, Jackets, Assorted; Corsets, Regatta, Checks, Hickory, Ribbons, Lustres, &c., &c.

ALSO,

1050 cs Old Tom, Swain, Board & Co.'s

Old Tom, Swain, Board & Co's, in bulk

Rum, Best Jamaica, 50 over-proof

Gin, Green Case, Red Case and in Bulk, J. D. K. Z.

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Otard & Jules Robin, in Bulk

Orange Bitters, Swain, Board & Co's

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Sherry, Scotch Whiskey, & Liquers

Tin Plate, I. X. Charcoal

Barbours Shoe Thread, bleached and unbleached

Fish Lines and Hooks

Siene & Sturgeon Twine

Wrapping Twine

Dry Paints

Lamp Black

Chamois Skins

Bar Lead, &c., &c.

200 cs Devoe's Coal Oil,

Liverpool Salt.

Groceries

Sardines, in bond and duty paid

U. S. Tea, Isthmus Butter, Lard

Coffee, Sugars (Refined & Brown)

Yeast Powder, Candles, Beans

Syrup, Raisins

Sultanas, Plagniol Oil

Vinegar, best Malt

Field's Oysters, and other Case Goods, a full assortment

Pie Fruits, Pickles, Sauces

Blue, Paste, Vienna Matches

Tobacco, Spices, Chocolate

Oat and Corn Meal, Corn Starch

Brooms, Beef, Pork, Salt

Dried and Preserved Fruits and Vegetables, Paper &c., &c.

Buffalo Tongues and Humps.

Nicely Cured Buffalo Tongues and Humps, lately received from the Territory of Montana, United States.

For Sale at the

HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S STORE.

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Wharf street, Victoria.

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New Advertisements.

New Fall Goods, 1868.

FINDLAY & DURHAM

Are now Landing EX PRINCESS ROYAL from London

60 cases & 48 bales General Merchandise, FOR THE FALL TRADE, COMPRISING

Dry Goods, Clothing, Underclothing, Hosiery, Hats and Caps, Blankets, Boots and Shoes, &c., &c.

All of which are offered to the TRADE at LOW RATES. sell

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Government Street,
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FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

THE ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN
REFURNISHED,
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CLEANLINESS AND GOOD ORDER.

APARTMENTS will be let by the DAY, WEEK, or
MONTH, at a Great Reduction from Former Rates, as
Travelers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seek-
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AND
CONCERT ROOMS,
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Wines, Liquors & Cigars
Or the Choicest Brands are dispensed at the Bar by
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and Chicken Fixings.

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The Alhambra Saloon.
YATES STREET,
IS STILL CONDUCTED IN ITS USUAL
happy manner. Civility, Good Liquors, and Cigars
being the secret of success.

The Proprietor is ever mindful to give his attention to
the same for the benefit of his patrons.

W. FARRON,
Proprietor.
Victoria, B. C.

Pick me Jp.

PICK UP.
The most Wonderful Morning
Restorative in the World. Most
Gentlemen from Scotland can
testify to the Astonishing and
Harmless Effects of this Drink.
Made from the Celebrated
Recipe of Mr Raines, of
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Dr Gibbon's Dispensary,

616 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR

GOVERNMENT, San Francisco. Established in 1864, for the treatment of sexual and Seminal Diseases, such as Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Syphilis, in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc. Skin Diseases (of years standing) and Ulcerated Legs successfully treated.

Dr. Gibbon has the pleasure of announcing that he

has returned to this State after an absence of one year

during which time he visited all the principal Cities of Europe, and made a tour of the United States, including the following countries: Holland, France, Germany, etc.,

among those visited by the Doctor: "Guy's" Hospital, St. Bartholomew's, Smithfield, St. Luke's, Old

Street, St. Mary's, Camb. Place, Pad. Lock, Harrow

Road; University, Gower street; Westminster, Broad

Sundury, Charing Cross, Agar street, Strand; London;

Saint George's Hospital, Gray's Inn Road; Gray's Inn Road; King's College, Portugal, etc.

Dr. Gibbon has spared neither time nor money in seek-

ing out new remedies, and has returned with increased

facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons, both male and female

are there who are suffering out miserably exist

from the effects of secret indulgences, or from

bad habits, following a course of debauchery, and

those who are suffering from the effects of

those who are suffering from